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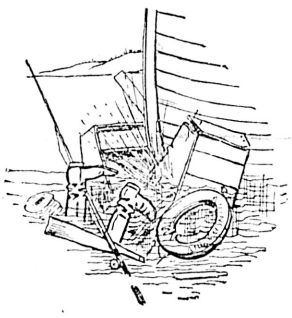

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CONSERVATIVES

A mass meeting of Liberal-Conservatives and supporters of Hon E. G. Prior and Mr. Thomas Earle, will be held on Wednesday Evening, May 13th, at 8 o'clock, at the Conservative Club Rooms, corner of Broad and Fort Sts.

All Liberal-Conservative Electors and supporters of the Dominion Government will be welcome—and are invited to attend.

Addresses will be delivered by Hon. E. G. Prior, Mr. Thomas Earle and others. my12

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Each day from 10 a.m. at the hall. my8

New Advertisements continued on page eight.

KRUGER'S DELIVERANCE

No Rest for South Africa Until Intriguers Are Punished—Jameson's Statement.

Municipal Elections in Paris—Monsignor Galimberta Said to Have Been Poisoned.

LONDON, May 11.—A dispatch from Pretoria says that President Kruger has granted an interview to a press representative, in which he said he was astonished at the official defence of Cecil Rhodes and of the Chartered South Africa Company in Friday's debate in the House of Commons. He wished that he could have been there so as to be able to personally floor the arguments of some of the speakers. President Kruger continued by asserting that the alleged intrigues between the Transvaal and Germany were merely soap bubbles. The South African Republic, he said, desired to be friends with all; but the recent plot was indefensible, and those who engineered it must be punished. There would be no rest for South Africa, he concluded, until that was done.

Both Dr. Jamieson and Major White write to the Times this morning with reference to a report from Pretoria that extracts have been published there from a note book kept by Major White, and which is now in the hands of the prosecution. It was said that an entry for December 29 in the notebook read: "Received dispatch from Cecil Rhodes to move at once on Johannesburg." Dr. Jameson and Major White both emphatically deny that they ever received dispatches from Cecil Rhodes directing their forces to advance upon Johannesburg.

The morning papers announce that the shareholders in the British Chartered South African Company will prosecute Alfred Beit, the director of the company, who was implicated by the cryptogram, claiming damages for the Jameson raid.

The final returns of the municipal elections in Paris are as follows: Republicans, 234; Radicals and Socialists, 85; Conservatives, 20.

TUPPER AT PORT ARTHUR.

The Premier on the Development of Algoma and the Surrounding Country.

PORT ARTHUR, May 11.—(Special)—Sir Charles Tupper arrived this morning at 10 o'clock. He was waited upon by the Mayor and members of the council, and prominent citizens, who escorted him to the big Canadian steamship Rosedale, which took the entire party across the bay and up the Kaministiquia river to Fort William. At Fort William Mayor McKellar and the president of the Liberal-Conservative Association and prominent citizens were in waiting, and the party inspected the Canadian Pacific steamer Albert, returning to Port Arthur at 2:30. At four o'clock Sir Charles was escorted to the Northern hotel, where addresses were presented to him by Mayor Marks on behalf of the citizens and by C. H. Shera, vice-president of the Conservative Association, to which Sir Charles made splendid replies. He spoke with no uncertain sound regarding the development of Algoma and the building of the Ontario and Rainy River railway, assuring his hearers that as long as he was premier he would do everything possible for the development of this section of Ontario. To-night Sir Charles addressed a meeting at Fort William.

VICTORIA'S ALASKAN TRADE.

The Largest Shipment Ever Forwarded by a B. C. Establishment Leaves To-Day.

Having been well satisfied with the shipment of goods received from Victoria last year, the Alaska Commercial Company about ten days ago placed a second large order with Simon Leiser & Co. of this city, with the result that the steamship City of Puebla sailing for San Francisco this evening will carry away over 500 tons of freight destined for Alaska. The shipment, it is said, represents the largest single order ever filled in Victoria or, in fact, by any wholesale establishment in British Columbia, and consigned to one place. In bulk it more than doubles that sent to Alaska by Messrs. Leiser & Co. last year—when the Alaska Commercial Company extended their first patronage to Victoria, with the highly gratifying result of its repetition. The shipment is entirely made up of staple and fancy groceries—some 11,000 packages—all of which had to be specially made up for the road. From San Francisco the shipment goes by steamer direct to St. Michaels and thence 1,800 miles up the Yukon river to Forty-Mile creek or Fort Cudahy, its destination, where the Canadian mounted police are stationed and where the goods will be distributed. From Victoria the consignment goes in bond. The goods are all at the outer wharf ready to be loaded when the City of Puebla arrives this afternoon from the Sound.

BY A large circle of friends the news was regretfully received yesterday of the death, at Santa Barbara, Cal., of Mrs. Fell, wife of Mr. Thornton Fell, the respected Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. For some years Mrs. Fell, who was the daughter of Rev. Dr. Reid, of New Westminster, and sister of Mr. S. Reid, of this city, has been an invalid, and for a considerable time has been searching for health in the balmy climes of the Golden State. The remains will be buried in this city.

DOMINION POLITICS.

Sir Charles Tupper to Meet the Electors of Montreal on Friday.

Hon. Dr. Montague Addresses the Conservatives' Delegates at London—Campaign News.

MONTREAL, May 11. — (Special) — It seems about settled that Hon. A. R. Angers will resign his seat in the Senate and run for Dorchester, where the party is certain to capture the seat from Mr. Vaillancourt.

Mr. Casgrain will run either in Montmorency against Charles Langelier or in Quebec Centre against F. Langelier.

Hon. Mr. Taillon has returned from Quebec and is most confident as to the result in that district.

Arrangements are being made for a reception to Sir Charles Tupper on his arrival here this week. A strong organization committee, composed of the various Conservative organizations of the city and district, have the matter in hand. Sir Charles is expected to arrive on Friday, and in the evening will be escorted from the hotel to Sohmer park by a torchlight procession comprising members of all the Conservative organizations in the district of Montreal and the general public. There will be music and fireworks at the park. Speeches will be delivered by the Premier and other cabinet ministers. On the following evening the Premier will address a meeting at the Windsor hall. The demonstration is expected to be a big affair.

LONDON, May 11.—(Special)—Conservative delegates from Western Ontario ridings gathered here to the number of one hundred and fifty, and were met by Hon. Dr. Montague, the minister of agriculture the minister of militia, and Robert Birmingham, Conservative organizer. The delegates reported the situation in their several constituencies and took steps to improve and extend their lines of operation. Hon. Dr. Montague, addressing the gathering, declared that the Conservative party are going to sweep the country from end to end. They would, he said, have a big majority in the lower provinces, and would divide Quebec. They would gain largely in Ontario, while the West would continue to stand firmly by the party.

PICTON, May 11.—The Conservatives of Prince Edward have chosen as their candidate for the Commons, W. Boulter, of the firm of W. Boulter & Sons.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Victoria amateur minstrels is to be held this evening, one of the chief items of business to receive consideration being as to the advisability of cancelling the proposed Vancouver performance. It will be at Pioneer hall

THE following appears in Sawyer & Murphey's Mining Stock Circular of May 7, published at Spokane: "The Georgia is situated on Monte Christo mountain, adjoining the Evening Star. The Victoria parties that purchased this claim have gone at the development as though they meant business. The writer from personal observation believes they have shipping ore from the 'grass roots.'"

MR. JAMES D. MCNIVEN, assistant-foreman of the COLONIST newsroom, was joined in marriage yesterday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, on Kingston street, to Miss Florence Butler, second daughter of Mr. Robert Butler, foreman of the government printing office. Rev. Solomon Cleaver officiated, with the assistance of Rev. Dr. Campbell. The bridesmaid was Miss Edith Butler, while Mr. Walter Blakie supported the groom, the ceremony being witnessed only by the intimate personal friends of Mr. McNiven and Miss Butler. They will make their home at 26 Kingston street, where the congratulations and good wishes of all who know them follow them—not stereotyped congratulatory phrases, but heartily meant good wishes, for none are more deserving of fortune's smiles than quiet, genial, considerate "Jim" McNiven and his bride.

How "the fool and his money" are parted was illustrated yesterday when Mr. James Blackwood received from Mr. C. Dell Smith, editor of the weekly publication called "The Province," a five dollar bill with which a contributor had backed a "bluff" appearing in Saturday's issue. This bluff consisted of an offer of five dollars to "the first man on the Victoria voters' list," who in the editor's presence would "subscribe his name" to the words "I firmly and honestly believe that Mr. Prior, M. P., is a Cabinet Minister of full rank." Mr. Blackwood heard of the offer on Saturday and promptly called at the office for the money. The editor was "not in." Yesterday morning several others called, not knowing that but one $5 was at stake; and it became evident that the money was as good as gone. Mr. Blackwood was sent for, and having signed the declaration in Mr. Smith's presence duly received the money. He says he does not in the least mind being called a "callow simpleton" by any newspaper writer who does not know that since parliament has been dissolved Col. Prior is not an M.P., though "a Cabinet Minister of full rank."

Six at a Birth.

TORONTO, May 11—Fowler Fries Heinsuit, a farmer, had on Saturday a family consisting of his wife and three children. This morning he has nine children. His young wife presented him with six babies at one birth, three boys and three girls, all bright, well developed and able to cry lustily. She is 27 years old.

OUR OTTAWA SPECIAL.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper on the Privy Council's Prohibition Judgment.

Fishing Rights on the St. Lawrence —Hawkesbury Mills Burned —The Bisley Team.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, May 11.—The cabinet had a session to-day when difficulties regarding certain writs were straightened out by the issue of new ones.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, being asked for an opinion to-day on the prohibition decision, replied that the information obtained was far from complete and full. He would not, therefore, care to make any statement, preferring to wait until the full text was received. This much, however, he was quite willing to say: That from a glance that he had taken at the matter it appeared to him that the workers in the cause of the prohibition of the liquor traffic would do well after this to bring their influence to bear on local governments instead of agitating the issue as one entering into Dominion politics.

Arrangements between Canada and the United States in regard to fishing rights on the St. Lawrence near the Thousand Islands have been satisfactorily concluded.

The mills of the Hawkesbury Lumber Co. at Hawkesbury were totally destroyed by fire this afternoon. Loss, $50,000.

Fifteen acceptances have been received so far for the Bisley team.

Captain Winter, private secretary of Hon. E. G. Prior, left for Victoria today.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Political Matters in Manitoba—New Freight Rates to Points in the Kootenay Country.

WINNIPEG, May 11.—(Special)—Requisitions are in circulation in Marquette asking E. A. Struthers, manager of the Barnardo farm at Russell, to run as Patron and Independent candidate.

The Lisgar Conservatives will select a candidate at Morden to-morrow. Robert Rogers, Conservative organizer for Manitoba, will probably be the choice.

Ald. Sproule denies the report telegraphed to a Toronto paper that he will come out as a McCarthyite candidate for Winnipeg.

W. A. Macdonald, of Brandon, was to-day unanimously chosen by the Conservatives of Brandon as their candidate at the approaching elections.

The new freight tariff from Winnipeg to West Kootenay points, which goes into effect on the 15th instant, has been issued. The rates show an advance of about 10 cents per 100 pounds over existing rates. They are as follows: To Nelson and common points, class 1, $2.32; class 2, $2.06; class 3, $1.80; class 4, $1.59; class 5, $1.28. Sandon and common points: Class 1, $2.77; class 2, $2.44; class 3, $2.10; class 4, $1.82; class 5, $1.49.

SMALLPOX IN HAVANA.

Malarial Fever Prevalent—Story of Maceo's Private Secretary, Who Has Been Arrested.

HAVANA, May 11.—Smallpox has increased in Havana recently, and the authorities have been stirred to take action to isolate the patients to some extent. It is learned that the health of the soldiers massed along the trocha is very bad. The turning of ground across the island and the massing of men without sanitary arrangements result in innumerable cases of malarial fever. The insurgents say this is hardly a beginning. When the rain comes the ditches will become muddy streams, and the little forts along the edges will crumble and fall, and fever will decrease the ranks.

Antonio Maceo's private secretary took advantage of Gen. Weyler's recent offer of amnesty to rebels in the Pinar del Rio district. He surrendered and was immediately released. He is quoted as saying that he became tired of the mountains, in camps where negroes live, and says Maceo has a big army in good condition and quite well armed. The general often remarked:—"Whenever I get ready to cross the trocha, I can cross it. The troops cannot stop me any more than they can defeat me where I am." When Maceo was asked jokingly if he intended to surrender so as to escape he replied: "Spaniards may some day get my dead body. I would rather surrender nor allow them to take me prisoner. I would kill myself first."

NEW YORK, May 11.—A special to the World from Havana says: Five thousand volunteers are to go to the trocha to relieve the regulars. The siege guns have been sent to the trocha. Weyler is anxious to force a general engagement in Pinar del Rio before the heavy rains set in. It is estimated that he now has about 60,000 troops in Pinar del Rio. Maceo's force is about 15,000.

QUEBEC'S NEW CABINET.

Premier Hon. E. J. Flynn—His Colleagues—The Coming Treasurer.

QUEBEC, May 11.—(Special)—The new provincial cabinet has been completed as follows: E. J. Flynn, premier and minister of public works; L. Beaubien, agriculture; G. A. Nantel, crown lands; L. P. Pelletier, attorney-general; C. Chapais, president executive council; M. F. Hackett, provincial secretary; the treasurer will be an English-speaking Protestant of Montreal, probably Mayor Wilson Smith.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

Conservative Convention at Vancouver—Exploration of Indian Mounds on the Fraser.

Exports of Kootenay Ore via Revelstoke—Another Dividend From the "Le Roi."

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 11—The case against J. Turner for alleged breach of the game protection act in having deer in his possession during the close season was dismissed. The Indians are allowed to shoot deer the year around, and the skins were bought from the Indians.

At 11 o'clock this evening the first ballot at the Conservative convention had been taken as follows: D. Oppenheimer, 38; Dr. Wilson, 38; the remaining 39 votes being divided about evenly among Mayor Collins, Capt. Tatlow, Chester McNeil, advocate, and W. J. Bowser. Mr. Oppenheimer had a letter in the hands of the secretary declining to stand. The meeting was adjourned to get his final answer. The COLONIST saw him subsequently at his hotel and he said he had finally positively declined.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, May 11.—James Rousseau, boot and shoe merchant, has assigned.

Mr. Charles Hill-Tout has recently made some rarely interesting discoveries in the Indian mounds of the Fraser river. The results of his labors, embodied in a paper, have been read before the Royal Canadian Society.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, May 11.—Four panthers—two old ones and two cubs—were seen recently in Millstream valley near what is known as the "Jinglepot mine." The local nimrods are in pursuit.

One of the houses owned by Dunsmuir & Sons, at the Wellington collieries, occupied by Mr. Harry Gilbert, was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. The household effects were all saved. The exact cause is not reported.

GALIANO.

GALIANO, May 11.—A splendid reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bennett at the opening of the Point Comfort hotel on Mayne island on Friday, when an open invitation was extended to everyone. A good orchestra was in attendance throughout the evening and the spacious dining room afforded good accommodation to all lovers of dancing. No pains were spared on the part of the host and hostess to entertain their many guests and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The hotel has lately undergone extensive alterations.

A wharf will shortly be erected at Saturna island. A schoolhouse will also be built on Pender island during the coming summer.

REVELSTOKE.

REVELSTEKE, May 7.—The following is the list of ore shipments through Revelstoke for the week ending this day:

Mine.	Lbs.	Value.
Idaho	30,000	$2,996
Alamo	120,000	7,171
Slocan Star	200,000	7,987
Total	350,000	$18,154

ROSSLAND.

[From the Rossland Record.]

At his recent visit to this city Col. I. N. Peyton being questioned by a Record reporter, emphatically denied that he has purchased the Stimmel holdings in the Le Roi mine.

The regular monthly meeting of the Le Roi Mining and Smelting Co. was held in Spokane on Tuesday. A dividend of 10 cents a share was declared, amounting to $50,000. This makes $150,000 paid in dividends since October last. This in the face of the inability to ship ore in large quantities during the winter, owing to bad roads, which had the effect of restricted production. Superintendent Moynahan is reported as saying that he could easily mine, hoist and ship 200 tons of ore daily were transportation facilities afforded.

IMPORTANT SALE.

The Joaquin Mine on Trail Creek Changes Ownership.

Yesterday the San Joaquin mine on Trail Creek, which adjoins the famous Palo Alto claim, was sold to a Victoria and London syndicate of capitalists by Mr. E. N. Bouche, the locator. The Palo Alto shaft is within thirty feet of the easterly line of the San Joaquin claim. Rock from the San Joaquin croppings was assayed at the Government assay office here and gave a result of $280 in gold and 120 ounces in silver to the ton. The new owners will proceed to develop their property immediately. It is said that little if any of the stock will be placed on the local market, the intention being to float the property in London. The sale was effected through Mr. J. T. Bethune, mining and stock broker, Broad street.

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HEAD

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METHODIST EDUCATION.

Six Hundred Thousand Dollars Loaned to Students for the Ministry—Less Than a Twelfth Repaid.

CLEVELAND, May 11.—At the meeting of the general conference committee on education on Saturday consternation was raised by the reading of a report to the effect that funds to the amount of $600,000 had been loaned to students during the past twenty-three years to enable them to complete their studies, and that only $50,000 of that sum had been repaid. The loans were for a long time and on easy payments. Two days ago Rev. Charles Payne, of New York, the corresponding secretary of the board, presented a report on these loans for the entire period during which they had been given. At the meeting of the committee on education this matter came up in the form of a motion for a sub-committee to look up the apparently extraordinary state of affairs.

Gen. James T. Rusling, of New Jersey, declared that the loan system was evidently turning Methodist divinity students into paupers, that it impaired their usefulness, and was a bad thing in all ways for the students.

Rev. J. H. Clendenning, of Fort Smith, Ark., said he could scarcely believe his senses when the figures were placed before him. The effect of this system on the students could not, he said, be otherwise than disastrous. Men who would not pay their debts, he declared, were not fit to be Methodist ministers.

Chancellor Day, of Syracuse university, said: "If the repayments do not come in better than this we had better abolish the plan. It is apparently pauperizing the students and making them actually dishonest."

A sub-committee of five was appointed to examine more closely into the matter.

Dr. Payne, when informed of the reception his report met with, said: "Those gentlemen are too hasty; they do not know all the facts. They should read all of the report, which shows the small return of the loans. When the plan was first put into effect the requirements were lax. No notes were taken, and the money was generally considered as a gift in the cause of Christ. No notes were required up to 1880. Again, some of these aided students have taken charges where they can barely get a living. Others of them have died. But the main cause of the showing in the report is merely the fact that the great bulk of this $600,000 has been loaned so recently that sufficient time has not elapsed for its repayment. Of the total, 80 per cent. has been loaned since 1884; 60 per cent. has been loaned since 1892."

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

General Decline in Prices Due to Large Selling Orders in All the London Favorites.

NEW YORK, May 11.—A general decline in prices, averaging more than ¾ per cent, was recorded to-day, and the market displayed more features of interest than in several days previous. The above average loss was shown after a small general rally from the lowest point during the intense dullness which prevailed after midday. The chief impetus to the decline was supplied by large foreign selling orders in all the London favorites which were received at the opening, together with a general decrease in the market for American issues in London.

Closing bids:

Atcheson	14⅝
Canadian Pacific	58⅞
New York Central	97
Canada Southern	50
Delaware & Hudson	126
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	161
N. Y., Lake Erie and Western	17¼
Lake Shore	149½
Missouri Pacific	25¼
Northern Pacific (preferred	12¼
Reading	11⅜
Union Pacific	8
Western Union	85¼
Wabash	6¾
" (preferred)	17½
C.P.R. in London	61¼
C.P.R. in Montreal	58½
Cable in Montreal	158¾
Bar silver per ounce	67⅞

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April 25th, 1896. ap26-12t

CITY OF VICTORIA.

COURT OF REVISION.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment for 1896, as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Victoria, *on Tuesday, the 2nd day of June, 1896,* at 10 o'clock a.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

28th April, 1896. [ap29] C.M.C.

SCAVENGERS.

ED. LINES, General Scavenger 36 Yates street.—Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munro's, 89 Government street; Speed Bros., corner Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, corner Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

IRRITATION AT MADRID

The Spanish Authorities Annoyed Over the Bermuda Affair—Peaceful Arrangements Difficult.

U. S. North Atlantic Squadron Ready to Sail at Two Hours' Notice.

LONDON, May 11.—The Globe says that the inaction of the American authorities in the Bermuda affair has caused much irritation in Madrid. Recent developments of the Monroe doctrine find little favor abroad. Although the pretentious arrogancy of Washington lately betrays indications of spoiling for a fight, the Globe believes the true explanation of the meddling policy is a determination to render American commerce paramount throughout the western hemisphere.

The St. James Gazette remarks: "There are conditions both in the United States and Spain which militate against a peaceful settlement. Senor Canovas del Castillo will have to consider the effect which a surrender to the United States might have upon the stability of the monarchy. He may have to choose between a rupture with the United States and revolutions at home."

MADRID, May 11.—The Spanish Premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo and the United States minister to Spain, Mr. Hannis Taylor, had an important conference to-day. The result is unknown, but it is reported that Captain-General Weyler had cabled the Spanish government that it was impossible for him to proceed with the war as he should do, as the Spanish autherities at every movement are hampered by the irritating meddling of America in Cuban affairs.

The Imparcial, referring editorially to the strained relations between the United States and Spain, says: The United States intends to wear out the patience of Spain or themselves and declare war. It is preferable to hasten events, as the inferiority of Spain will increase with time.

Captain-General Weyler has not replied to the command to remit to the supreme court the cases of the men sentenced to death for taking part in the Competitor expedition.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Admiral Bunce's North Atlantic squadron, lying at anchor off the lighthouse station at Tompkinsville, S. I., is being kept in readiness to get up anchor and steam out of the harbor at two hours' notice. Fires are kept banked on all the cruisers, and steam can be raised within an hour. Never before have the ships of a fleet been kept up to such a high standard of efficiency. This statement is vouched for by the officers of the flagship New York, who, however, are still kept in ignorance of the meaning of it all.

Admiral Bunce has been keeping close watch on the drills on the different ships, noting the efficiency of the officers and men. He has encouraged the commanding officers, but has given his confidence to none, so far as his plans or those of the secretary of the navy or President Cleveland are concerned. The drills have gone on day after day at sea, and in port ordinary routine drills with the rifle and cutlas during the morning watches and with the big guns of the main battery during the remainder of the day. Many a time during the night watches the officers and men of the ships have been aroused to fight an imaginary battle.

More cipher messages from Washington City have arrived for the admiral, but their purport has not been disclosed. The other officers of the fleet eagerly scan the Washington City dispatches in the newspapers to learn if there is any news of the rumored movement toward Cuban waters.

Two more of the cruisers of the North Atlantic squadron arrived in port yesterday, making four ships now at anchor off the lighthouse station at Tompkinsville. They were the Cincinnati and Montgomery, and they came from Newton, Conn., where they have been taking part in a local centennial celebration. The four cruisers, with the battleship Indiana, the cruiser New York, the ram Katahdin and the double-turreted monitor Terror, now at the Brooklyn navy yard, make eight ships now in port. It was said on the flagship New York that the Katahdin will join the squadron in the lower bay on the 15th, the Indiana and Newark on or about the 22nd, and the Terror about the 28th. The battleship Maine, now at Hampton Roads, is expected here within ten days. The Columbia is undergoing repairs at the Norfolk navy yard, and will come to this port with the Maine. The battleship Massachusetts, now fitting out at Cramp's shipyard, will join the fleet as soon as the data of her official trip can be worked up and the government is sure that she has fulfilled her contract requirements. The battleship Texas and the monitor Miantonomah have yet to be commissioned. The former is at Norfolk and the latter at League island.

HAVANA, May 11.—It has been definitely announced that the five men captured on board the Competitor were tried on Friday last by Admiral Navarro, and that the naval tribunal approved and signed the sentences of death imposed upon the filibusterers, Alfred Laborde, Dr. Elias Bedia, Wm. Gilden, John Melton and Theodore Mata. The government, however, in view of high state considerations, referred the case for final decision to the supreme tribunal of war and marine.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—In the Competitor case it can be authoritatively stated that at the request of the United States the Spanish government will postpone the execution of the death sentence upon American citizens until the views of the United States respecting the application of their cases to the treaty of 1795 and the protocol of 1877 can be presented and considered. The announcement of the postponement of the execution means a delay of some weeks and that the matter will be taken up by the United States and Spain and will be made the subject of the exchange of correspondence on the interpretation to be given the treaty provisions between the two nations. Meanwhile the effect will be to allay popular excitement both here and in Spain.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—The cruiser Brooklyn left Cramp's shipyard on her builders' trial trip on Saturday, being given a speed trial over what is known as the Cramps' course, which is eleven knots long and lies a few miles off the New Jersey coast. After this trial she will run out to sea for one day, and is expected to return to her dock on Tuesday afternoon. The contract calls for twenty knots an hour, but her builders expect her to make twenty-two knots. She is larger, and is regarded as a more effective type of fighting cruiser than the New York. Work has been pushed rapidly, and she will be completed and ready for her official trip about the middle of July.

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Remember that delays are dangerous; the symptoms of to-day may to-morrow result in misery or death. To be well and strong, and able to battle successfully with life's duties, cares and troubles, you must use Paine's Celery Compound, the medicine that has done such marvellous things for thousands in the past.

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THE CZAR'S CORONATION.

Position of American Subjects.

LONDON, May 8.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Chronicle says the United States government has authorized American subjects on the occasion of the coronation of the Czar to conform to the lines recently adopted by the British court, but nothing must be worn defining any official position.

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Victoria, B.C., May 8th, 1896.
my9-1m JOHN HENRY GAERDES.

FOR THE YUKON—A letter and parcel express will be dispatched from this city to Fort Cudahy, Forty Mile River, via Juneau, on or about the 15th of May next. For particulars apply to Hall, Goepel & Co., 100 Government street. ap24

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GRIT SILLINESS.

The Grit wiseacre who, over the signature "Statute," professes to give the readers of the Grit Weekly information and instruction about matters relative to Parliament and Bar is so inexpressibly silly as to make the following offer, in these very peculiar terms:

"I really don't think there is an elector in Victoria who now honestly believes Mr. Prior is a minister of full Cabinet rank. I venture to assert that not one voter can be found in Victoria to sign his name to these words:

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"I propose to test the point in a practical manner. I have given five dollars to the editor of this journal to be handed over to the first man on the Victoria voters' list who will subscribe his name to the above words in the Editor's presence."

We are informed that not one man but many men possessed of the qualification required have presented themselves at the office of the Grit weekly and expressed their readiness to sign the words.

If "Statute" will inquire of some well-informed person he will be told that the phrase which he has borrowed or stolen or invented, "a Cabinet Minister of full rank," is utter nonsense. All Cabinet Ministers are of full rank. There would be as much sense in speaking of a member of parliament of full rank or a member of the Senate of full rank or a bank director of full rank, as a Cabinet Minister of full rank. "Statute," when he penned the phrase, "A Cabinet Minister of full rank," wrote himself down as an ignoramus or a political trickster of the lowest and least scrupulous class. A nice kind of person he is to give the public instruction relative to either the Parliament or the Bar. The fact is, the Grit Weekly when it deals with politics, either Federal or Provincial, is one of the most unprincipled and the least reliable of Grit journals. We do not know of any other Grit newspaper that would be guilty of such a mean and paltry bit of bluff as this five-dollar offer.

MOWAT'S MOVE.

The Liberal newspapers profess to be delighted with Sir Oliver Mowat's very prudent but rather ostentatious offer of assistance to Mr. Laurier in the present election campaign. From all that we can learn the Ontario Premier offers in that letter to do nothing more than he has done in other elections as a matter of course, without making any fuss about it. Everyone knows that he has always been an ardent Liberal and that he has never lost an opportunity of either directly or indirectly helping the Liberal cause, as well in federal as in provincial contests. There are, we see, even among the friends of the Manitoba majority, two opinions as to the expediency of his declaring his intention to do what he can to help Mr. Laurier in the present contest. The Toronto Telegram, an independent paper, and decidedly opposed to the Government's policy on the Manitoba school question, says:

Sir Oliver Mowat's decision to enter Federal politics appears to be a mistake from his own standpoint, because it must tend to decrease the chances of that Liberal triumph, which alone could vindicate the wisdom of Sir Oliver's daring deed.

The leadership of Sir Oliver Mowat must be a contributing cause to the defeat, which will prove that his last step was an error, for Wilfrid Laurier's chances of victory are distinctly impaired rather than improved by Sir Oliver Mowat's adherence to his cause.

The issue which was straight enough to be troublesome to Government supporters must be complicated to the advantage of the Government by Sir Oliver's activity. Orangemen who are wavering will be held in line for the Conservatives by spirited references to Sir Oliver Mowat's truckling policy. As against this, the Liberals expect that gratitude will prevent the Roman Catholics from deserting Laurier and Mowat for the standard of Tupper and remedial legislation. The number of Roman Catholics who could be brought back by Mowat, the Presbyterian, to the side of Laurier, the Roman Catholic, is not worth mentioning.

In a word, Sir Oliver Mowat's leadership in Ontario will be more likely to repel wavering Protestants than to attract wavering Roman Catholics. He brings no new element of strength to the Liberal leader. Wilfrid Laurier is as strong in Ontario without Oliver Mowat as he will be with him. It may be that the enlistment of Sir Oliver is the essential part of an arrangement which will give Laurier the help of Fielding in Nova Scotia and Blair in New Brunswick. If so the move may be justified by reasons not yet disclosed. By inciting other provincial Liberals to come in, Sir Oliver may be an indirect strength to Laurier in the other provinces, but he will be a direct weakness to him in Ontario.

The Telegram may be supposed to be pretty well acquainted with the state of public opinion in Ontario. It is to be observed that it is by no means sanguine of the success of the Laurier party. It, indeed, assumes that there will be a close contest in that province and it believes that the appearance of Sir Oliver in the field as the champion of Laurierism will rather weaken the cause of the Liberal Leader than strengthen it. It is to be observed that very little is now said of the part to be taken in the contest by the Liberal leaders of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. It is more than probable that both these leaders see that by helping Mr. Laurier in their respective provinces, they will be likely to make enemies for themselves without winning friends for Mr. Laurier, and they have, most likely, wisely decided to do what they intend to do by way of helping Mr. Laurier quietly and unobstrusively.

"THE HALF-HEARTED MEASURE."

It will be remembered that Mr. Laurier denounced the remedial bill as a half-hearted measure. Why he did so is shown by a revelation recently made by Mr. P. A. Choquette, late M. P., in the new Liberal organ, Le Soir. Mr. Choquette was commissioned, it appears, to see Father Lacombe, who had written an honest but imprudent letter to Mr. Laurier, which by some means or other found its way into the newspapers. The Toronto Mail and Empire gives the following account of Mr. Choquette's revelation:

Mr. Choquette says, in Le Soir, that he met Father Lacombe and pointed out to him that the Liberal objection to the remedial bill was not that it was coercive, or that it interfered with provincial rights, but that it was not sufficiently coercive in that it failed to take money from the provincial treasury and to pass it over to the Catholic schools. The priest advised Mr. Choquette to question the Government on this point. He put a question accordingly, and the answer he received was that the Federal power could not legally interfere with the provincial finances. "This reason," says Mr. Choquette, "appears to me sufficient to induce the Liberal representatives to vote with me (against the bill); convinced as we all were that in retarding for a few months the settlement of this thorny question, and in awaiting the accession of Mr. Laurier to power, our coreligionists could only gain thereby." This puts Mr. Laurier's attack upon Father Lacombe and the anti-coercion feature of his policy in a queer light. The Liberals, French and English, it appears, did not vote against the bill for the reason they assigned, but because it was not sufficiently coercive, and did not contain an unworkable clause dealing with the provincial finances.

A TRUE ESTIMATE.

Mr. Tarte, who, we see, is set down as Mr. Laurier's organizer in Quebec, may not be the purest and the most scrupulous of politicans, but it must be admitted he is not wanting in shrewdness and discernment. He has taken the weight of his leader with wonderful accuracy, and, what must now be embarrassing to both him and Mr. Laurier, he has published his estimate of his character and his capacity. Here is part of his pen and ink sketch of Mr. Laurier, and there are thousands who will declare that it is wonderfully true to life:

"Mr. Laurier is not a nobody; still less is he what we call a man of talent. He has a character, veneered on the outside. Scratch a little and you will discover the mediocrity within. He is not learned; his speeches show it. His thought never rises above the plane of his prejudices. . . . He will never be faithful to what he does not possess—principles, sound convictions or patriotism."

THE CRIME OF FAILURE.

Mr. Cecil Rhodes and his associates are now paying part of the penalty of failure. Whether he is as deeply implicated in the attempt to invade the Transvaal as his enemies assert, is at present difficult to decide. It is, however, quite possible that he and many others in South Africa knowing of the treatment that their countrymen were receiving at the hands of the Boers, considered it their duty to do what they could to free them from the bondage in which they were held. In their ardent desire to help the Uitlanders strike a blow for freedom they may have done what cannot be justified by international law. If Jameson's raid had succeeded; if the Uitlanders had compelled the Boer Government to extend to them the rights of citizens, Rhodes, Jameson and every one else who had contributed to the victory of freedom over tyranny would be lauded to the skies. Their offences against the law of nations would be overlooked. It would be said that there are circumstances and situations in which a down-trodden community are justified in disregarding law and resorting to physical force to obtain their rights. There would be talk about the divine right of resistance and glorious precedents could be cited to show that the Uitlanders, in rising against the Boers, had done no more than their duty to themselves and their children. Jameson would be almost worshipped as a hero, and Rhodes would be held up to admiration as a large-hearted and far-sighted patriot. But since the attempt to obtain for the Uitlanders what they were clearly in justice entitled to was a failure, Rhodes, Jameson and even the West Africa Company are called to strict account.

This, after all, is nothing more than right. It is the first duty of those, no matter how great the grievances may be, who undertake to rebel against constituted authority, to succeed. Nothing can be more cruel and more criminal than to persuade people to take up arms against a government *de facto*, no matter how bad it may be, unless measures are taken to make success, as far as human foresight can judge, a certainty. Failure is sure to be followed by suffering and misery, not only to those who take an active part in the rebellion but to thousands who have had no share in it and who have really incurred no responsibility. The severity with which the leaders of an insurrection that fails are treated acts as a deterrent—a salutary check to those unquiet and impatient spirits who are ready as soon as they believe a government to be harsh or oppressive to counsel rebellion. Such men incur a terrible responsibility. The more gifted they are and the greater the influence they wield the heavier is their responsibility. To have a good cause, then, is not enough for men who propose to rise against constituted authority. They must see their way clearly to success, for no one can be justified in causing men to risk their lives and property and plunging thousands, it may be, into distress and suffering of the keenest kind unless there is a good prospect of their obtaining what they propose to fight for. Haste and blundering and want of preparation and foresight in such enterprises are really crimes, and the welfare of communities requires those who are guilty of them should be severely punished.

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Between Charlotte E. Masters, Plaintiff, and Caleb Rand Masters, Defendant,
And Between A. Burritt & Co., Plaintiffs, and Caleb Rand Masters, Defendant.

Under and by virtue of two several writs of fieri facias to me directed, issued out of the above-named Court and in the above-named causes, dated respectively the 15th day of April, 1896, and the 23rd day of April, 1896, for the respective sums of $3,481 00, and $177.65, I have seized and will sell en bloc by tender, all the stock-in-trade of Caleb Rand Masters, Dry Goods Merchant, of Wellington, consisting of a general assortment of silks, cotton, woollen, etc., etc., goods. Tenders must be addressed to and received by me by 1 o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 16th day of May, 1896. A complete stock list can be seen at my office, and stock can be inspected at any time prior to day of sale. Stock in good condition. Terms cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. S. Drake, Sheriff for Nanaimo. my6 td

MORTGAGE SALE—Under powers contained in a certain mortgage, dated 1st July, 1894, registered in Victoria Land Registry Office, in Charge Book vol. 15, folio 389, No. 16903B, tenders will be received by the undersigned at our office, No. 70 Douglas street, Victoria, up to the 15th day of May, 1896, for the purchase of Lot 12, subdivision of Section VI Beckley Farm, Victoria City, as shown on plan 229, deposited in Land Registry Office, Victoria. The property is desirably situated, No. 103 Carr street, James Bay District, and there is a good two story dwelling house on said lot. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. A. W. More & Co., agents for the mortgagee. Victoria, B.C., 4th May, 1896. my5-10t

UNDER and by virtue of the powers contained in certain indentures of mortgage, which will be produced by the undersigned, tenders will be received for the purchase of the following lands and hereditaments in British Columbia, namely:

1. Lots 5 and 10, of subdivision lot 1, block 1, Viewfield Farm, Esquimalt District, map 707.
2. Lot 1 of Saanich Extension to the Work Estate (Burnside road), map 110, part of section IV Victoria District, containing one statute acre more or less.
3. S.E. ¼ of section 21; S.W ¼ of section 22 and N.W. ¼ of section 9 in Township 7; and lot 37, group 1, Osoyoos Division of Yale District.
4. Lots 27 and 28, in the city of Vancouver, block 53, subdivision of lot 541, group one, New Westminster District map 210.
5. Lot 2 (Saanich road), part of lot 6, of part of section 5, Victoria District, map 441.
6. Lot 113, containing 5 acres more or less, subdivision of Lake Hill estate in Victoria and Lake Districts, map 180.
7. Part of Victoria city lot 25, having a frontage on the north side of Yates street of 30 ft., and a depth of 120 ft.; also ⅔ part lot 24 adjoining lot 25, having a frontage on Yates street of 40 feet, and a depth of 120 feet, together with the buildings on said lands.
8. Lots 2 and 11, block 1, Christ Church Trust Estate, having a frontage on Rae street and on Churchway, in the city of Victoria, of 50 feet, and a depth of 221 feet, together with residence thereon.

Tenders will be received for the whole of the above lands or in parcels as numbered.

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The above company was incorporated for the purposes of purchasing and developing the Freeburn mineral claim, situated near Rossland, B.C. The Freeburn lies immediately east of the Nest Egg ground, and adjoins the Homestake on the north, the Gopher being southeast and Palo Alto northeast of it. There are three well defined ledges of ore on the claim, two running easterly and westerly, and one north and south, varying in width from three to twenty feet.

W. A Crane, who examined the property, states: "The north vein is no doubt the Nest Egg vein, and appears true and strong, but it is as yet untouched. I also examined all stakes and found them correct, leaving no flaw in title. The claim is admirably situated for working purposes, and will, I am sure, respond to development and prove a very valuable property. I have been mining and examining mines for years, and have found all the physical conditions favorable for the Freeburn to rank with our best mines."

H. Stevenson, superintendent of the Homestake and Nest Egg mines, states: "With proper development I would look to see this property (the Freeburn) becoming valuable as a gold producer, its ores increasing in size and value as depth and development are attained. The fact of the railroad now being built across the claim adds to its value materially, as it gives a very cheap output for its ores. Its adjoining the Homestake on the north adds materially to its worth."

J. J. Henager, a practical miner and mine owner, makes an affidavit in which occurs the following statements: "The Freeburn has upon it three well defined ledges of gold bearing rock. Two of the said ledges are about three hundred feet apart, and running in an easterly and westerly direction, and one crossing the said two ledges on the property, and extending north and south the whole length of the property and crossing right through the Homestake. I find the Freeburn property correctly staked and located with assessment work done and recorded for the current year, and that there are no adverse stakes or other locations or contests in regard to this property. The topography of the Freeburn is similar to the Homestake, and all indications point to the fact that the Freeburn, with proper development, will become a valuable mine, the ledges being from three to twenty feet wide on the surface. After a most careful examination of the Freeburn on three different locations, I am convinced that it is one of the most promising and remarkable properties in the camp."

Preliminary sales of shares have already been made of Freeburn stock, among the purchasers being Wm. Munsie, Thos. Shotbolt, James Dunsmuir, J. H. Turner, C. E. Pooley, and a number of others. The control of the stock is altogether in Victoria, the vendors retaining one-fifth. The head office of the company is in Victoria, and the management of its affairs is in the hands of responsible men, so that purchasers of stock are fully assured that their interest will be thoroughly protected. It is the intention of the company to at once proceed with the practical development of the mine, and W. J. Sutton, Mining Engineer, of the Michigan School of Mines, will immediately make an examination of the property so that work will be directed to the best advantage. It is believed that development will uncover a large body of rich ore, for it is a well denonstrated fact in mining that where a vein is intersected by a cross vein, as in the case of the Freeburn, pay ore is certain to exist.

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THE CITY.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will be held to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The closing exercises of the reds and blues membership contest of the Y. M. C. A. will take place at the association rooms to-morrow evening.

The corner stone of the Pemberton memorial operating room at the Jubilee hospital will be laid on Friday afternoon at half-past two by Mrs. Pemberton, assisted by Mr. Joshua Davies, president of the hospital.

Difference of opinion. Guesses all the way from 200 to 2,000 have been made at the block of soap at S. Reid's. What is your estimate? One guess for every cash purchase of one dollar for the high grade Swell Special bicycle; lady's, gentleman's, boy's or girl's. x

William Pascoe Bruzaud, well known as one of the finest cooks and caterers on the Pacific Coast, and who acted for some time as chef to Lord Stanley while he was Governor General of Canada, has assumed the proprietorship of the old and popular Poodle Dog restaurant on Yates street, which he re-opens to-day. He promises to make it second to no house in the province.

General and genuine sorrow is felt among a large circle of friends at the sudden death yesterday at her home on Johnson street, of Mrs. Rosa, relict of the late Giacomo Bossi, the deceased lady being widely known and esteemed for many acts of kindliness and unostentatious charity. She was at the time of her demise 69 years of age, having been born at Baden Baden, in 1827. Two daughters survive her.

The enterprising burglar after several months' rest has apparently resumed his "burgling," for several visits are reported within the past few days. On Oswego street one residence was entered while the occupants were attending the minstrel performance at the theatre, ingress being obtained by breaking one of the dining room windows. Once inside, the burglar or burglars proceeded to make a systematic search through every drawer, cupboard and pocket, and failing to find any money departed without appropriating anything else.

The neatest, newest and unquestionably "cutest" novelty in advertising that has come to hand for many a month is the photograph which Mr. G. M. Leishman, of the Ogilvie Milling Co., has just had taken of his little boy, standing guard over two sacks of the celebrated Hungarian, and himself clothed not in sackcloth, but in sack. His little Mother Hubbard made out of a flour bag, duly trade marked and lettered, is decidedly picturesque, and the roguish expression of the little wearer is at once fascinating and decidedly interesting. He has a look of business in his merry eyes that stamps him as a coming hustler, following in his father's footsteps.

A large map of the world giving a splendid idea of the extent of the British empire has been presented to the Board of Trade by Hon. Mr. Prior. The map is the joint work of Mr. G. R. Parkin, whose lectures and books on Imperial confederation are known throughout the empire, and Mr. J. G. Bartholomew, the famous cartographer. The immensity of the British empire can be seen at a glance, all the parts being colored red. Fortified seaports, coaling stations, railways, cables, telegraphs and ocean routes are all given and diagrams show the commercial development, the relative size of the larger parts of the empire and other interesting data with admirable conciseness and clearness.

Mrs. Clarence Cox, who has just returned from Yokohama, enjoys the distinction of being the first lady to make the voyage from Victoria to Japan in an ordinary sealing schooner, and her experience proved so pleasant that she would now willingly re-enter if if opportunity allowed. The craft which bore her across the broad Pacific was the lucky Triumph, which Capt. Clarence Cox, the lady's husband, commands, and which generally distinguishes herself every year with a big catch of seal skins. The first part of the trip was not novel to Mrs. Cox. After leaving Victoria the schooner had first to secure an Indian crew on the Coast before proceeding further, and the trip thus far Mrs. Cox is well accustomed to. The commencement of the longer part of the trip, however, she was not so well acquainted with. It so happened that a heavy gale was experienced for the first fourteen days, and although her initiation in this respect was somewhat wild she enjoyed it on the whole and it primed her well for what followed. The schooner was fifty days in making the passage, and in one gale she had her rudder carried away. For a great part of the trip the weather was extremely warm, the thermometer registering on several days 112 degrees of heat. Mrs. Cox spent some time in Yokohama after her arrival there.

There is to be a meeting of the creditors of the defunct Green-Worlock bank to-day, at which the assignees are expected to report as to the progress being made in the closing up of the bank's affairs.

Encouraged by their recent gratifying success in catering to the entertainment-loving public, the ladies of St. John's Guild have decided to comply with a very generally expressed request and repeat the travesty of "The New Man" on Tuesday evening next.

Professor Alexander will lecture this and to-morrow afternoons at 2.30 at the A.O.U.W. hall to ladies, on "Our Duty to Our Children" and "Fashion and Maternity." To-night he will give a plain talk to men only on the "Causes of the Social Evils of the Day." There will be no admission fee at the door in the evening. Saturday night's lecture was a witty and lucid explanation of how to read character from common signs. There was not a vacant seat in the hall.

"Lord" Percy Whittall, who started on a dazzling career in Japan similar in detail to that which got him into trouble here, and was finally locked up in Yokohama, as it was thought better to keep him under lock and key until he could be sent out of the country, is now making an honest living as a boat-puller on the sealing schooner E.B. Marvin. Captain Harris took pity on him and offered to ship him for the cruise. The "noble lord" jumped at the chance of freedom and accepted.

The Centennial Methodist church had their Sunday school anniversary on Sunday, the children to the number of nearly a hundred being on the platform and leading the singing at all three services. Rev. Dr. Griffin, of Toronto, treasurer of the superannuation fund of the Methodist church, preached an excellent sermon to the children in the morning. At the afternoon meeting Mr. Thomas presided. Rev. Mr. Hicks made an address, and the secretary's report of the Sunday school was read showing healthy and satisfactory progress during the past year. In the eveningRev. Mr. Betts preached a special sermon to the teachers and parents.

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Sore

eyes and restoring all the affected parts to healthy condition. Read this:

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Eyes

became worse. Then I took her to a specialist in Indianapolis, who said he could do nothing. I came away with a heavy heart. I met my father's physician, Dr. Berryman, who examined Zola's eyes, and told me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began to give it as directed and wash her eyes with warm water. Soon I began to notice improvement, and now, having given the child over a half dozen bottles, her eyes are greatly improved and she can see as well as any one. She is five years of age, and goes to school. When she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, she had to eat her meals in a darkened room, but now

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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Ald. Partridge's By-Law for the Regulation of Cycling Excites Much Curiosity.

Rain Interferes With League Baseball—Intermediate Lacrosse Matches for 1896.

Ald. Partridge's proposed by-law for the regulation of bicycling is naturally exciting the keen interest of the thousand and more wheelmen of Victoria, and in consequence it is expected that to-night's meeting of the V.W.C. will be the largest in the history of that flourishing association. There is in addition a large amount of special celebration business to receive attention, and the club members should make it a point to muster sharp at 8 o'clock. Wheeling was never in a healthier condition in Victoria than at present, the cozy club-rooms being well used every evening by the riders and their invited friends, who find the club a most convenient and comfortable meeting place and there wile away many a pleasant hour with music, the discussion of cycling topics, or a quiet game of whist. The rooms are open afternoon and evening, and the members of the V.W.C. are continually reminded by the officers that the premises are there to be used. Club runs are also beginning to take their proper place among the attractions of club connection; that on Saturday last to Oak Bay saw upwards of forty weels in line, while fully fifty riders went out to Goldstream yesterday and half as many more to Saanich.

ADVANCING THE MEET ARRANGEMENTS.

Details in connection with the meet on the 23rd at the Oak Bay track were arranged at a special meeting of the V. W.C. directors yesterday, at which also the club captain unfolded his scheme for the parade to the recreation park the day of the races. This promises to be one of the most unique and attractive street pageants ever seen in British Columbia--easily carried out, and yet as interesting and full of variety and taking "features" as the circus. The special sub-committees on tickets, advertising, music, etc., are now at work, with promise of excellent results rewarding their efforts.

THE BICYCLE FOR TWO.

To Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co., the local representatives of the three "C"'s, belongs the honor of introducing to Victoria the first drop-frame tandem—one of the most popular of all modern mounts—yet seen on Vancouver island, and which made its appearance on the streets yesterday. It is a "Crescent," model 20, double-steering, and very handsomely finished throughout in black and nickel. The general lines are those of the standard Crescent, familiar to everyone who takes an interest in cycling and cycles, though the finish reminds one forcibly of the Crescent racer. A marked peculiarity in construction is that there is no auxiliary gearing, both riders working direct to the rear wheel axle. The new tandem, which is the admiration of all who have seen it, should be a strong favorite, especially with young married men or those who include matrimony among the possibilities, being light, fast, staunch and much more within the means of the multitude than two single bicycles.

BASEBALL.

RAIN SPOILS THE LEAGUE GAMES.

Not only Portland but Seattle as well suffered from the hoo-loo of the new Pacific League Sunday and yesterday, "no game--rain" being the bulletin from both the Oregon city and Seattle. It is to be hoped that the weather conditions will be more favorable to-day when Victoria meets Seattle at Seattle, and "Stroebel's Rabbits" from Tacoma try their skill against "Glenalvin's Gladiators" at Portland. Manager Gus Klopf, of the Victorias, believes that he has located and effectually disposed of the one weak spot in the make-up of his combination by the signing of James Hughes as relief pitcher, to commence work just as soon as he can arrive from Southern California. Darby has proved himself a host, but he cannot be expected to pitch continuous good ball without rest, and Pitt and Babbitt are more than Victoria can carry with safety to the pennant chances. It is to be hoped Hughes will prove a second Darby--no more is required.

Here are yesterday's game in the East:

At Toronto—Toronto, 2; Rochester, 6.
At Buffalo—Buffalo, 7; Syracuse, 19.
At Wilkesbarre — Wilkesbarre, 14; Providence 6.
At Scranton—Scranton, 26; Springfield, 13.
At Pittsburg — Pittsburg, 4; New York, 2.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 2; Philadelphia, 10.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 10; Washington, 2.
At Chicago—Chicago, 4; Boston, 3.

THE TURF.

POLO RACES FILL WELL.

Every race on the programme of the spring meeting to be held at the Driving park on Saturday next, under the auspices of the Victoria Polo Club, has closed with numerous entries, but owing to several having to arrive by post the full list will not be published till tomorrow. The fields will be larger than have appeared at a running meeting in this city for many years, and the opening races of the season promise to be an immense success.

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THE INTERMEDIATE SERIES.

Mr. S. M. Robins, of Nanaimo, has been chosen hon. president of the Intermediate Lacrosse Association of British Columbia, his associate officers being: L. A. Lewis, Westminster, president; J. F. Murray (Victoria), B. D. Presley (Nanaimo), vice presidents; H. J. Walton, Vancouver, secretary-treasurer; W. F. Norris, J. H. Diamond, H. L. Edmonds and L. Tait, members of council. The association's referees are C. W. Snell and J. J. Cambridge, Westminster; A. E. Suckling and E. A. Quigley, Vancouver; C. S. Campbell and F. Cullin, Victoria; and F. Whiteside and Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo. Here is the season's card of matches:

May 30—Vancouver vs. New Westminster, at New Westminster.
May 30—Nanaimo vs. Victoria, at Victoria.
June 13—New Westminster vs. Nanaimo, at Nanaimo.
June 13—Victoria vs. Vancouver, at Vancouver.
June 27—Nanaimo vs. New Westminster, at New Westminster.
July 18—New Westminster vs. Victoria, at Victoria.
July 18—Vancouver vs. Nanaimo, at Nanaimo.
July 25—Nanaimo vs. Vancouver, at Vancouver.
Aug. 8—Victoria vs. New Westminster, at New Westminster.
Aug. 22—Victoria vs. Nanaimo, at Nanaimo.
Aug. 22—New Westminster vs. Vancouver, at Vancouver.
Sept. 19—Victoria vs. Vancouver, at Victoria.

THE GUN.

MACLURE AND MINOR TIE.

The second 25-bird shoot in the Cliff house 100-bird match, was shot last Saturday afternoon, when F. S. Maclure succeeded in beating out C. W. Minor for first place, breaking 19 birds to his rival's 18—out of the 15 blue rocks at unknown angles followed by five pairs. This leaves the two veterans tie on the first fifty, each with 37 birds to his credit. The race to the finish now promises to be a keenly exciting one, although but the two are practically left to dispute supremacy. No one has yet entered the lists for the B class, which should be the best filled of all and the most interesting. The chief aim of these matches is to encourage the young shots, and it is to be hoped that they will take advantage of their opportunity.

THE S. A. N. W. MEETING.

The programme for the twelfth annual tournament of the Sportsmen's Association of the Northwest, to be held at Spokane from June 18 to 20 inclusive, has just reached this city and every trapshooter who has had the pleasure of looking through it is enthusiastic as to the good advance work that has been accomplished by the Spokane Rod and Gun Club, under whose auspices the tournament is held this year. The prize list grand total reaches $2,108, there being $700 in added money, $483 in merchandise prizes, and $925 in trophies. The programme includes fifteen well arranged events, the revised American association rules to govern all contests, and the annual business meeting of the association will be held on the evening of the 17th, so that all delegates from outside clubs should make it a point to reach Spokane prior to that date. A return fare of one and one-fifth on all roads will greatly assist in securing a large attendance.

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SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Sealing at Home and Abroad—Poor Catches Obtained on the Japan Coast.

The "Tacoma" Arrives After an Uneventful Voyage—The "Annie C. Moore" Returns.

News received through the arrival of the steamship Tacoma goes to show that the Victoria schooners hunting for seals along the coast of Japan are meeting with almost unprecedented poor luck, the entire catch heard of being even less than would recompense one vessel alone. A letter which E. B. Marvin & Co. received from Captain J. G. Cox at Yokohama, gives the catches of several of the fleet as follows: April 15—Pioneer, 180; Viva, 186; and Katherine, 10. April 13—Borealis, 115; April 9—The Alton (of San Francisco), 190; and April 5—Mary Taylor, 24. The letter further mentions that two of the Mascot's canoes, which had got lost from their schooner, had arrived at Yokohama and would there await the arrival of the vessel. Other news received from Yokohama reports several boats' crews at Yokohama, and the catches of the Golden Fleece (San Francisco) and Carlotta G. Cox at 300 and 50 respectively.

THE "ANNIE C. MOORE" HOME.

Present indications point to much better success among the sealers yet to return from the Coast expedition than those already home. The Annie C. Moore, the last schooner to arrive so far, has a catch of 231 skins, while on the 30th ult. the Penelope had 400, with every prospect of securing 40 or 50 more on the day she was spoken. The Minnie had 460 when last heard from, and the Favorite's catch exceeded 800. Although the Moore started hunting with eight canoes she only carried six during the greater part of the season, this being explained by the desertion of two, which put off from the schooner one fine day when 40 miles from shore. The Indians were opposite their tribe's village at the time and the thoughts of home caused them to forsake their schooner, taking with them something like ten skins.

THE TACOMA IN AND GONE.

After spending exactly 24 hours in port the Northern Pacific steamship Tacoma, which arrived from China and Japan early Sunday morning, proceeded to the Sound at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, having landed here about 300 tons of freight. Out of 250 Asiatic passengers she had aboard, 52 Chinese and 75 Japanese disembarked at Victoria. Mrs. Clarence Cox was the only saloon passenger aboard whose destination was Victoria, the others in the cabin being Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Virmarge, Mr. Clark, Mrs. Anderson and Master Walter Rehees. The Tacoma's trip was uneventful, two sealers off the entrance of the Straits being the only vessels sighted en route. Purser Campbell was unable to leave here on the ship, as shortly after her arrival he was conveyed to the Jubilee hospital, suffering from a very serious attack of lung trouble.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamship Empress of China sailed for the Orient last evening, calling off the outer wharf while en route from Vancouver at about eight o'clock. Among the passengers who embarked on her from Victoria was Mr. R. J. Ker, who goes to Japan to look after the sealing interests of R. P. Rithet & Co.

The steamer Maude sailed on her usual coast voyage last evening. She carried among her passengers Rev. Mr. Shorthouse.

The United States steamer Patterson will come off the dry dock at Quartermaster harbor within two weeks, after being entirely rebuilt, at a cost of between $30,000 and $40,000.

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" Tacoma	"	Yokohama.
Yawl Star	"	Cape Beale.

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" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Geo. E. Starr	"	" "
" R. P. Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
" Evangel	"	Port Angeles.
" Maude	"	West Coast.
" Tacoma	"	Tacoma.
" Staffa	"	Nanaimo.
" Rainbow	"	Sooke.
" Lorne	"	Departure Bay.
Yawl Star	"	Vancouver.

TORONTO TOPICS.

The World's Opinion on the Situation in Quebec—A Queen's Own Sergeant Kills Himself.

TORONTO, May 11.—The World's Montreal correspondent, concluding a review on the probable result of the general elections of that portion of Quebec where the English speaking electors prevail, says that although in Montreal there may be a little wavering among Protestant Conservatives over the remedial bill there is certain to be no defections in the rural districts.

Two suicides in this city were reported last night and a third committed yesterday was discovered this morning. J. S. Hopwood, aged 60, unmarried, a sergeant of the Queen's Own, on Saturday morning left his desk at the Canada Life Assurance Company where he is a clerk to get shaved. He did not return and search was instituted for him and maintained more or less actively all day Saturday. To-day his body was found lying in the armories with a rifle beside it. He had shot himself by placing the rifle across a table, the barrel pointing to his breast, and then touching the trigger with the ramrod the bullet passed through his heart.

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THE ELECTORAL BILL.

TO THE EDITOR:—The Times asks me a civil question to which I give a civil reply:

"How it happened that this measure, said to be so much needed, was not introduced before the last week of the session when parliament had already far more business than it could dispose of."

My reply is:

1. That this bill was not one of much consequence.

2. Frequently very important bills are introduced in the last days of the session; this cannot be avoided.

3. The Supply Bill, involving $40,000,000, comes in and is passed the last hours of the session.

4. The printing department was overworked last session printing long speeches.

5. Parliament was to some extent demoralized last session, and its mind given almost entirely to one subject—rendering the consideration of other business impossible.

6. Whether the bill in question was brought in early or late, it was not from any sinister motives, but owing to the reason now stated.

I will now ask the Times a question: "If the bill came in the last days of the session, and gave power to create an unlimited number of polling districts, what advantage would that give the Conservative over the Liberal party?"

The Times called this bill a "plot or conspiracy," let it show the unequal bearing of the plot.

The only important point in this question is: Would the proposed bill have given an unfair advantage to the Conservatives? If this can be shown the Times is justified; but as it cannot be shown, such righteous indignation is uncalled for.

I in my first communication on the subject made no apology or defence—none was necessary. Had such been necessary, to whom should the apology be made? Not to the electors surely for trying to give them better facilities for casting their votes—and certainly not to the Times. There is nothing to reconcile between Mr. McPhillip's explanation and mine. An error was made in the bill as first printed. He attached more importance to the sub-division of No. 11, and I to 10. No. There is nothing in this matter to conceal or to be ashamed of. No plot can be manufactured out of it by subtle reasoning. My opinion is that there should be two new polling places in each of districts 10 and 11, which coincides very nearly with that of my honorable colleague.

W. J. MACDONALD.

MILLINERY MODES.

Net, Gauze and Mousseline de Sole For Dainty Summer Headgear.

Some of the new hats show a tendency to revert to the old mushroom brim—one of the ugliest varieties ever seen and as unbecoming as it is ugly.

Tulle, net, gauze, mousseline de sole and chiffon figure largely on spring and summer hats. The trimmings composed of these materials—choux, puffs, ruches, fans and plaitings—are charmingly fresh and dainty, but of short lived beauty.

Hat brims are again lined with velvet, which forms the most becoming background for the face that can be devised.

Mauve and green are a fashionable combination for millinery this season.

When the flowers trimming a hat are arranged to fall upon the hair at the back, as is now very often the case, French milliners fasten a piece of wire two inches long and half an inch wide, covered with velvet, to the edge inside of the crown and sew the flowers to the wire. This keeps them in the proper position, and also helps to make the hat secure on the head.

Light gloves are worn more and more. White, pearl gray, light suede tones, modes

THEATER TOQUE.

and lemon are all seen, and dark gloves, although really more becoming to the hand than light ones, are the exception instead of the rule.

Boots are more fashionably correct than shoes to wear with the day toilet, but nevertheless shoes may be worn, with black silk stockings, when boots compress the ankles uncomfortably. Persons whose circulation is deficient, or who have any weakness of the heart, would do well always to wear shoes instead of boots, that the movement of the blood may not be impeded.

Collarettes seem to be more and more elaborate. They are now composed of several materials in combination and are so bouffant as to admit of no cape or jacket.

The illustration shows a toque intended for theater wear. It is of turquoise blue bengaline, draped by choux, which have paste cabochons for a center. The trimming consists of a cluster of pink ostrich tips and a tall pink plume.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

RELIABLE INFORMATION.

Country Districts Heard From.

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Mr. E. E. Billinghurst is my bailiff in possession.

Dated this 18th day of February, A.D. 1896.

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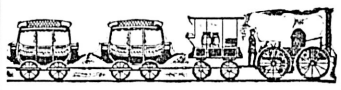

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IN THE FULL COURT.

A Number of Judgments Delivered on Important Appeal Cases Yesterday.

Income Tax Can Only Be Levied on Balance of Gain Over Loss.

The full court, consisting of Chief Justice Davie, Justices McCreight and Walkem, delivered judgment yesterday in the appeals of Ward v. Clark, Clark jr., and Henigar and Clark vs. Ward and Pemberton. The Chief Justice in his written judgment, in which Justices McCreight and Walkem concurred, set out:

These were two actions, the first of which was to set aside as fraudulent judgments obtained by Clark jr., and Henigar against Clark sr. (the father of Clark jr.), and the second based upon the failure of the first to redeem the vessel Enterprise, which having been sold at sheriff's sale to Clark jr., under the impeached judgments, was mortgaged by Clark jr., to Johnson, who assigned to Pemberton, Pemberton transferring to Ward. The facts giving rise to the litigation show that John Clark, the elder, built the schooner Enterprise and fitted her as a sealer. In 1893 he obtained advances from Ward, who acted as agent for the ship, but these advances were paid off the same year. In 1894 a debt of $8,870.23 became due to Ward & Co. in their capacity as agents, and this sum remained due in December, 1894, when Clark sr., wanted further advances for the purpose of sending the vessel out sealing for the season of 1895. Ward & Co. declined to give further advances without security by way of a mortgage and intimated that without such security they would call in the money already due. It was sworn by R. Ward and corroborated by W. A. Ward that on December 3, 1894, when discussing further advances, Clark, sr., stated positively that with the exception of something due his wife he owed no money except to Ward & Co. Ward swears Clark, jr., was in the room at the time and assented to this. On the part of the Clarks it is contended Clark, jr., was not in the room and was out of earshot. Some days after this R. Ward & Co. gave instructions to have a writ issued which wrs accordingly done. At Clark's house the defendant Henigar told the sheriff that Clark, sr., did not live there any longer and they did not know where he was. The sheriff not finding Clark, sr., on the 19th December an order was obtained for substituted service. In the meantime Clark, jr., on the 12th and Henigar on the 13th issued and on the same days had no difficulty in finding Clark, sr., and serving him with writs for the recovery of $3,458 and $2,709, respectively, for debts claimed by them from Clark, sr. On December 13 Clark, jr., drove his father to Sidney for the purpose, Clark, jr., said, of taking his father to Salt Spring island to collect $50 to go to Seattle in order to raise the money to pay off Ward & Co. Instead of coming back to town and taking the regular steamer, Clark, sr., went to Seattle from Salt Spring island, while the sheriff was watching for him at the steamers going from Victoria. Judgment was permitted by Clark, sr., to go by default on the writs of Clark, jr., and Henigar, and writs of fi fa being issued thereunder, the Enterprise was offered by sheriff's sale under the two writs, aggregating $6,208.70, Clark, jr., becoming the purchaser for $6,300. No cash was paid, but Clark, jr.'s debt was accepted as part consideration, and Henigar's for the remainder, which Clark, jr., seems to have settled with Henigar by giving his promisory note for the amount of Henigar's judgment. To pay the sheriff's fees and poundage and for other purposes, Clark, jr., borrowed $1,000 from E. M. Johnson on a mortgage on the schooner. Ward & Co., who had already brought action to set aside Clark, jr., and Henigar's judgment and annul the sheriff's sale, upon hearing of the mortgage to Johnson, applied to Johnson for and took assignment in the name of F. B. Pemberton, who after maturity made an absolute sale to R. Ward & Co. In the action by Ward & Co. to set aside the judgments, Henigar obtained a nonsuit and judgment was given in favor of Clark, jr. From this judgment the first appeal is brought.

Clark, jr., after judgment in his favor, brought suit against Ward & Co. to redeem the vessel. Judgment for redemption was given and Ward & Co. ordered to pay Clark, jr., $656, the earnings of the vessel while under Ward's possession, less mortgage money, interest and expenses. From this judgment the second appeal is brought.

In the first suit the Chief Justice does not agree with Mr. Justice Drake, the trial judge, that it was not at all clear that the causa causans of the delay in the service of the writ by Ward & Co. against Clark, sr., was because Clark, sr., with the assent of his son, led R. Ward & Co. to believe that he had no other creditors than Ward & Co. It cannot be doubted that if instead of being misled, Ward had been told that there was some $6,000 due the son and Henigar, Ward would not have delayed in suing. The trial judge nowhere found as a fact "that the alleged debts upon which Clark Jr. and Henigar obtained judgments were bona fides due from Clark Sr., and in the light which has been thrown upon the case in the full court could not, I think, have come to that conclusion." Dealing with the claim of Clark Jr. for $3,454, the balance after crediting certain payments on account of an alleged debt of $3,962, the Chief Justice found that there was hardly an item that was not shown either to be fictitious or a fraudulent overcharge, and if not altogether fictitious the claim was so tainted with fraud that none of it could be upheld.

As to Henigar, whilst his claim has not been disproved, the Chief Justice was not altogether satisfied with its bona fides. The judgment concludes: "In my opinion, therefore, the judgment in favor of Clark Jr. should be reversed with costs in this court and in the court below, and his judgment and all subsequent proceedings declared fraudulent and void and set aside. R. Ward & Co. will also be entitled to judgment against Clark Jr. for $1,000, or other the amount paid Johnson for transfer of the mortgage. As regards this Clark, jr., stands in the position of a trustee who has encumbered trust property, and must restore it in its unencumbered state. As to Henigar, the case of suspicion against him rose not so much from what was shown by Ward & Co.'s case, but from the evidence transpiring after the non-suit was granted and which at that stage of the case I am not prepared to say was wrong; in fact, there was nothing against him at that point. I think there should be a new trial as regards him; but, proceeding upon the principle that governs in giving a new trial on account of newly discovered evidence, I think Henigar is entitled to his costs in the former trial, and that the new trial should be only on condition of those costs being paid. Regarding the second suit, further directions should, I think, be reserved until the termination of the Henigar trial. The court will be in a better position to finally decide the redemption suit after the termination of the Henigar proceedings, when such order can be made as the case requires." Mr. L. P. Duff and Mr. A. P. Luxton for Ward & Co. (appellants); Mr. A. L. Belyea for John Clark, jr.; Mr. F. B. Gregory for Henigar; Messrs. Eberts & Taylor for John Clark, sr.

In McAdam v. Horsefly Mining Co. an appeal by defendants from the judgment of Mr. Justice Walkem, the full court dismissed the appeal with costs. Mr. Chas. Wilson, Q.C., for appellants; Mr. McNeill for respondents.

In the matter of the assessment act and the appeal of the Marquis de Biddle Cope from the judgment of the provincial court of revision, the full court consisting of the Chief Justice, Justices McCreight and Drake allowed the appeal. The point was whether an owner of real estate situate in a municipality is liable to income tax in respect of such real estate, when his annual returns therefrom are reduced by necessary disbursements such as taxes, insurance, etc., to below $1,500. Appellant, who resides, in England, owns real estate in Vancouver which returns a gross rental of $3,400. His necessary outgoings for this property left him a net profit of about $1,100. The court of revision held that he must pay on the gross return, and from this decision he appealed. The full court held that the assessment act does not tax incomes when under $1,500, and that "income" means the balance of gain over loss, and where there is no such balance of gain there is no income capable of being assessed. In his judgment the Chief Justice said: "The law aims to tax a man according to his means, not to tax him when he has no means at all or when his means do not exceed $1,500. The appeal must be allowed with costs if the law permits us to give costs, which question can again be spoken to." Mr. E. P. Davis for the appellant, Messrs. Hunter & Duff for the crown.

In Edison Electric Co. v. Westminster & Vancouver Tramway Co., the appeal was dismissed with costs.

Leave to appeal to the Privy Council was granted in Coy v. Atkins.

In the matter of the Winding Up act and the Thunder Hill Mining Co., the appeal of John S. Bowker and his wife to be allowed to prove for the full amount of claim as creditors of the company was allowed without costs. Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken, Q.C., for Bowkers, appellants; Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C., Mr. E. V. Bodwell and Mr. C. Dubois Mason for liquidator and other interested parties.

In Bullen v. Templeman argument was heard in the full court yesterday on the appeal of the plaintiff from so much of the order of Mr. Justice Walkem of May 5 as entitled defendant to proceed with the examination viva voce of plaintiff before delivery of particulars of defendant's plea of general justification. Mr. Robt. Cassidy (for Messrs. Eberts & Taylor) for appellant; Mr. E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY ARRANGEMENTS.

To the Editor:—In reply to a letter from "Enquirer" which appeared in your Sunday morning issue, I wish to state that the granting of prizes by the committee to the best decorated pleasure boat and canoe at the regatta originated from a suggestion which I made at the first meeting, and the resolution as passed simply designated "pleasure boat or canoe." When asked if naphtha launches were included I replied, No. My reason was that the launch would have such greater advantage for display over the row boats. As, however, I may be in error in my interpretation of the resolution I shall submit the question to the regatta committee, which meets in the city hall on Tuesday evening, when a decision will be given.

I have been requested by the printing committee to contradict an article which recently appeared in the Times stating that very little had been done to let outsiders know that there is to be a celebration in Victoria. If the writer had called at my office (next door to the paper mentioned) he would have been told that nearly three weeks before one thousand posters had been sent to the bill posters, messenger services, station agents and post offices throughout the states of Washington and Oregon and to all points upon the mainland as far east as Donald. This was four hundred more posters and two weeks earlier than in previous years.

I may also here state that the preliminary programme was at that time in the printer's hands, waiting only the action of the finance committee on Thursday night as to whether a vote was to be made for the yacht races, for it is needless to say, no vote no races. One thousand of these programmes have already been circulated in Seattle, Tacoma and Whatcom, and another will be issued to all station agents and post offices. Three thousand envelopes have been issued to our merchants for outside circulation, and advertisements have been inserted in the newspapers in Seattle, Tacoma, Port Townsend, Port Angeles, Vancouver and New Westminster. In addition to all this, a handsome lithograph three-page poster was on Friday last forwarded to all the above points as well as along Vancouver island.

Special programmes have been issued for the rifle matches and sent to all clubs and national armories within reasonable distance. In connection with this I must express my appreciation of the kindness and interest displayed by the representatives of the Northern Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Great Northern, and Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway companies, and the C. P. N. Company, all of whom have transported free of charge the numerous packages of printed matter. As proof that the advertising is being read, upwards of thirty letters have already been received by me, from our American friends. Apologizing for trespassing upon your space,

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I remain,
Yours truly,
Trail, May 5. S. G. Stooke.

There is absolutely no truth in the report circulated in the United States that Prince Hohenlohe, imperial chancellor, had resigned. He is going on a private visit to Schillingsfuerst to-morrow, and will remain there a couple of days.

Enormous sums were realized at the sale of jewels and plate at Christies's on Thursday last, including £8,000 for a Burman ruby, £11,000 for a black pearl, which formerly belonged to ex-Queen Isabella, and a collection of snuff boxes sold on Tuesday brought £15,000.

It is not likely that the young Duke and Duchess of Marlborough will spend a portion of the summer at Newport. The couple are making extensive arrangements for the entertainment of large house parties at Blenheim at the conclusion of the London season. Recently the traffic inspector of the Great Western Railway was summoned to Blenheim, and asked to introduce a special service on the branch line running there for the convenience of these guests. The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough will entertain largely in town, in addition to giving "week end" parties at Blenheim. They have been buying lavishly in carriages and horses, and the Duchess, with Princess Louise, will attend Fordshire agricultural show. The Duke and Duchess will be at Henley when the regatta week begins.

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Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 6th day of June, A.D. 1896, and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith

W. MONTEITH.
my8-12t Official Administrator

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of A. J. Langley, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the deceased are requested to send particulars thereof duly verified on or before the 17th day of May, 1896, and all persons indebted to the Estate are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to W. H. Langley, 52 Langley street, Victoria.

Dated the 17th day of April, 1896.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of John Dyer, Deceased.

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Dated the 27th day of April, 1896.

S. DEAN.
JOHN D. BRYANT.
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S. D. POPE,
my8-1m Superintendent of Education.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1896.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday	5th May.
New Westminster	Tuesday	12th May.
Vancouver	Tuesday	19th May.
Clinton	Monday	25th May.
Victoria	Tuesday	26th May
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C. P. Navigation Co., Ld.

TIME TABLE No. 27.

Takes effect June 21st, 1895.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13:15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster for Victoria—Monday at 13:15 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Company will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, January 1st.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

SHARE LIST.

May 11, 1896.

Name of Stock.	Asked.	Bid.
B.C. deb. 1874, red'ble 1899		
" 1877, " 1907		
" 1877, " 1917		
B.C. in. stk, 1891-5, red. 1941		
Bank of British Columbia		
Bank of Montreal		
B.C. Corporation, Ld		
B.C. Land & Inv. Agency, Ld		
Great West Life Assurance Co		
B.C. Board of Trade Bdg Ass.	$50 00	
Canadian Pacific Nav. Co		
Victoria-Phœnix Brewing Co	$75 00 $70 00	
Josie Gold M. Co., cap $700,000	50c	
O.K. Gold M. Co " $1,000,000	29½c	30c
St. Elmo Gold M Co " $1,000,000	18,17,16c	17c
Cariboo M. & S. Co. " 800,000	33, 32½, 32c	31, 30½, 30c
Iron Mask M Co. " 500,000	79c	
War Eagle M. Co. " 500,000	$2,81c	

MEMBERS AND BROKERS.

Baker, E. Crow,	Hutcheson, James,
Barff, Lionel C.,	Jones, A. W.,
Chapman, Hedley,	Ker, D. R.,
Cuthbert, Herbert,	Kirk, G. A.,
Davidge, F. C.,	Leiser, Gus.,
Davies, Joshua,	More, A. W.,
Earle, Thomas,	Pemberton, P. B.,
Ellis, W. H.,	Prior, E. G.,
Elworthy, F.,	Renouf, C. E.,
Flumerfelt, A. C.,	Rithet, R. P.,
Hall, Thos. B.,	Turner, J. H.
Holland, C. A.,	

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, May 10, 1896.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a.m.	47°	Mean 48°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a.m.	46°		
9 a.m.	48°	Highest 54°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p.m.	50°		1 p.m.—Calm.
5 p.m.	50°	Lowest 45°	9 p.m.—12 W.
9 p.m.	47°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

Barometer 9 a.m. ... {Observed .....29.800 {Reduced 29.770

ESQUIMALT STATION, May 11, 1896.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a.m.	46°	Mean 48°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a.m.	42°		
9 a.m.	53°	Highest 60°	5 a.m.—4 W.
1 p.m.	55°		1 p.m.—16 S.W.
5 p.m.	50°	Lowest 42°	9 p.m.—16 S.W.
9 p.m.	45°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine—7 hrs., 36 mins.

Barometer 9 a.m. ... {Observed .....29.840 {Reduced 29.810

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

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In druggists, the same as in other callings. We have a critical trade, and we buy and sell the best drugs to be found.

The People's Popular Prescription Pharmacy,

Gov't Street, near new P.O. Always open.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. GEORGE E. STARR from the Sound P B Keary, S P Westin, C Bramwell, Mrs Bramwell, W Johnson, H E Del Mos, C Berry, H Tolsti, J K Devlin, and Jas Jackson.

Per str. RITHET from New Westminster—Mrs and Miss Gibbons, Mrs McCrimon, two Sisters of St. Ann, B B Draper, S Hinchcliffe, H Baines, Thos Steele, R Roe, R W Service, W H Ladner, R Hope, Officer Abel, M Meredith, A Stillwell, Adams, Thos Norton Thinnes, and E M Johnson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. RITHET from New Westminster—J Ward, Wannock Cannery, B Williams, Hastie & B, Dr Bell, J A MaDowell, J Carstopule, D K Chingranes, B C M Co, Dom Exp Co, W Boorman, and Vic Chem Wks.

FEMALE IMMIGRATION.

Women's Council Does Not See Its Way to Encourage It From the East.

The Women's Council yesterday discussed the letter from Dr. Bessey, of Toronto, chairman of the movement for the promotion of the emigration to the West of the surplus female population of the East. The letter pointed out that the greatest need of the Northwest was women, not only for domestic help but to supply the disconsolate bachelors with good wives. This communication had been first sent to the city council, but that body thought the subject beyond them and referred it to the Women's Council. The ladies tackled the letter and discussed it; but finally resolved "that owing to the difficulties involved in encouraging the immigration of women to a new country, the Council of Women does not see the way clear to take any steps to encourage the same."

Mrs. Edmonds read a very full report on the suppression of impure literature throughout the Dominion, and Mrs. Wm. Grant followed with a most instructive and exhaustive paper on the healthy and unhealthy conditions of women. The employment of women in almost every capacity was touched upon and a strong plea made for the betterment of their surroundings and a greater sympathy towards them from their employers, based on the golden rule, the maxim of the Women's Council, "Do unto others as ye would that they should do to you."

A report of the Friendly Help Society was read by Miss Lawson, which showed the society to be in a very satisfactory condition.

For self-feeding stoves use Pennsylvania hard; for steady heat and lasting power is unrivalled. x

Stub's Vegetable Blood Purifier—the best remedy.

WATERWORKS EXTRAS

Claim of the Contractors Presented to the Council by Their Solicitors.

The Poundkeeper Must Go—Electric Light Supplies—Seattle Leper Not Wanted.

There was a full meeting of the city council last evening, Mayor Beaven presiding.

J. G. Burnett called attention to what he termed a very harsh proceeding against him, through which he had been fined $25 on account of his chimney having been on fire, while others go free. Ald. Marchant moved that the letter be referred to the fire wardens, stating that he had advised Mr. Burnett to write to the council. The Mayor questioned whether the fire wardens could interfere in the matter. The letter was then referred to the fire wardens for report.

An invitation from the celebration committee of Nanaimo, to the Mayor and council of Victoria to take part in the celebration of the Queen's Birthday there, was ordered to be acknowledged with thanks.

R. H. Jameson, secretary of the committee of the Sir William Wallace and St. Andrew's & Caledonian societies, asked permission for the erection of a Robert Burns memorial fountain in Beacon Hill park. The Mayor pointed out that the park is not the property of the corporation, but only in their hands as trustees for special purposes, and for that reason the Douglas monument could not be placed there. The letter was referred to the park committee for report.

The officer in charge of the Salvation Army here presented a report of the year's operations of the food and shelter depot, which, he added, is progressing and getting on nicely.

SEATTLE OFFERS A LEPER.

A letter from Mayor Wood of Seattle reported that a case of leprosy had been discovered in the hospital there, the patient being a Russian Finn 41 years of age, and asked whether he could be admitted to the Darcy Island lazaretto, it being the only station of the kind in the Northwest; and also the terms upon which he would be taken in.

MAYOR BEAVEN thought this was a case in which the city might well show a disposition to oblige the Seattle council.

ALD. MACMILLAN said there had been such a thing as repudiation on the part of American municipalities before, and there would be no means of compelling Seattle to keep on paying for this man, who could not be expelled and sent back. He moved that the Mayor of Seattle be referred to the Dominion authorities.

ALD. CAMERON was opposed to any reciprocity of this kind, and hoped the proposition would not be entertained in any shape or form. He moved in amendment that an answer to that effect be returned.

THE MAYOR did not see what the Dominion government have got to do with the leper station at Darcy Island.

ALD. HUMPHREY spoke to the same effect.

The amendment of Ald. Cameron was carried on division of 5 to 4.

NEW POUNDKEEPER.

A report from the poundkeeper, Andrew Shaw, as to the manner in which his duties are performed, stated that it is too much for one man to do to catch dogs and keep the streets clear of cattle, the district having become so much larger than when he took the position fifteen years ago.

ALD. CAMERON moved that Mr. Shaw be notified that since he cannot perform the duties of his position his services as poundkeeper will not be required after the end of the month.

This motion was carried on division of 6 to 3, after a good deal of discussion.

THE WATERWORKS CONTRACT.

The following report and correspondence were read:

"The undersigned reporting as requested upon a letter dated 23rd ult. from Messrs. Walkley King & Casey, contractors for the work at Beaver lake, and the two resolutions of the council thereon of the 27th April ult., beg leave to say: With regard to the purport of the 1st resolution, that if the finishing of the reservoir be taken off the contractors hands by the corporation the contractors' will make a deduction from the amount of the contract sum of the price of 930 cubic yards of concrete at $8 per cubic yard, equal to $7,444. They also to be paid at the rate of $1.25 per cubic yard for broken stone in the reservoir—a quantity of about 200 yards.

"2nd. With regard to the conditions attached to the granting of an extension of time to complete the work to the 30th June, 1896, as mentioned in the said resolution: Messrs. Walkley, King & Casey say that the workmen have their permission to board and lodge where they please provided they commence work at 7 a.m and terminate their days' labor at 6 p.m. This latter condition practically precludes men from residing at their homes in the city and obtaining employment on the work.

"3rd. We have also to report that during the discussion with the contractors it transpired that they claim to have performed extra work in addition to the iron work reported by Mr. Jorgensen to have been authorized by him; and the trenching and puddling at the wing of the main dam recommended and authorized by Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Bell, C. E. The contractors were accordingly asked to state their case in writing; the letter from their solicitors Messrs. Bodwell & Irving is herewith enclosed, from which it transpires that they claim a sum of $11,771.75 for extra work, exclusive of $1,273.10 for the extra work performed at the wings of the main dam.

"ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.
"JAS. L. RAYMUR,
"Water Commissioner.
"E. A. WILMOT,
"Engineer in charge."

THE CLAIM FOR EXTRAS.

VICTORIA, B.C., May 7, 1896.

To the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Victoria;

SIRS:—In accordance with the request of the Mayor, we enclose herewith two bills of extra work performed by our clients, Messrs. Walkley, King & Casey, in connection with their present contract with the city, and a summary thereof, showing the amount due at the present date to be the sum of $13,044.75. In making out these bills, our clients have left out of account a large amount of work which they think they can legally claim as extra, but as to which they think there may be a question of argument on behalf of the corporation. In so doing, the object is to promote a speedy and amicable settlement of all matters relating to the work. If our account, as rendered, is accepted and paid, we shall make no further demand in respect of extras; but if a contest should arise, we wish it to be distinctly understood that, in that event, the rendering of the present bills is without prejudice to the right of our clients to insist upon payment of the full amount of their claim if they shall be so advised.

BODWELL & IRVING,
Solicitors for Messrs. Walkely, King & Casey.

Detailed bills for the extras claimed showed the following:

TRENCH AT WING DAMS.

To excavating trench at wings of main dam wall, filling and puddling same with clay—3,473 hours' labor at 25c; 195 hours foreman at 30c; 100½ hours blacksmith at 35c; 100½ hours helper at 25c; use of boiler, engine pump, fuel and engineers' time, etc., 20 days at $6; total $1,107
To 15 per cent. commission 166
Total $1,273

EXTRA WORK DONE UNDER CONTRACT.

	Price per Yd.	Amt.
Filling, above shown on profile	$ 0 60	$ 1,249
Excavation ditto	0 50	1,041
Stonework under culverts	4 00	4,244
" division walls	4 00	2,666
Concrete, main dam wall	10 00	1,456
" central embankment wall	8 00	261
Concrete footings	8 00	124
" foundat'n of chambers	8 00	680
Stonework	4 00	80
Brickwork waste weir	20 00	118
Metal pipe	10 00	110
"	3 00	51
Masonry in waste weir	5 00	110
Excavation rock in reservoirs	5 00	1,250
Excavation earth, southwest corner	50	323
		$13,766
By concrete not placed in division walls	8 00	$1,995
Total		$11,771

The whole matter covered by the above correspondence was, on motion of Ald. Marchant, laid over until next meeting of the council, Ald. Williams in seconding the resolution describing the demand of the contractors for the extras mentioned as "the most 'gally' thing ever proposed to the council."

ELECTRIC LIGHT SUPPLIES.

The electric lighting committee presented the following report, which was adopted:

"The tenders for supplies received and submitted to us were as follows, viz: Coal—Canadian Pacific Navigation Co. and Messrs. Spratt & Macaulay. Arc Globes—Canadian General Electric Co.; G. C. Hinton and R. B. McMicking. Oil—The Imperial Oil Co. and Spratt & Gray. The following tenders being the lowest we would respectfully recommend that they be accepted, viz: The C. P. N. Co. for lump coal at $3.75 per ton and for washed nut coal at $2.50 per ton, the corporation being at liberty to take either kind, and that the city solicitor be instructed to draw up a contract accordingly. For arc globes, the Canadian General Electric Co., one gross, $126. For oil—The Imperial Oil Co., viz., dynamo oil at 40c. per gallon to be delivered as required."

The fire wardens recommended that hydrants be placed in localities recommended by the chief engineer; that the Tiger steam engine and one hose carriage be offered for sale, and that new wheels be placed on the chemical engine and hose carriage. Adopted.

ALD. WILLIAMS moved that tenders be called for the civic advertising for the balance of the year 1896. He said that tenders are called for everything else, and as the advertising comes to $300 per month he thought the council might save $100 a month.

ALD. MARCHANT thought it would be wise first to find out whether the rates charged at present are fair and reasonable as he rather approved of the present system of dividing the advertising between the papers. He therefore moved that the matter be referred to the printing committee.

The amendment was carried.

ALD. HUMPHREY's by-law to permit electors to vote notwithstanding that they may be in arrears for taxes was introduced and read a first time.

ALD. PARTRIDGE introduced a by-law for the regulation of the use of bicycles on public thoroughfares, which was read a first time.

The council adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair,
DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Lawn Mowers at Cheapside. $4.25. x

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TURKISH . . . CIGARETTES

Smoked by H.R.H. the Prince of Wales and other members of the Royal Family, Carlton, Marlborough and all the Leading Clubs in London. . . .

E. A. MORRIS {Sole Agent, Colonist Block.

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To let the merry Bikers know that our big stock of Sweaters "has came," (as they say in San Francisco.)

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We have a Wheel to give away—a beautiful Dayton. Every dollar spent in the store entitles you to a guess at the pin jar, and the nearest guess gets the bike. Over a thousand guesses now in, but there's room for more.

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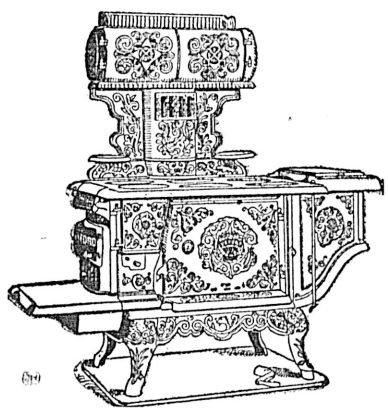

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PERSONAL.

D. F. Ticehurst, Rossland, is at the Driard.

M. H. Cowan was a passenger on the Charmer this morning.

J. K. Devlin returned from the Sound by the George E. Starr yesterday.

Vice-President Shaughnessy, of the C.P.R., arrived at Vancouver last night.

Among the passengers for Vancouver this morning was Major F. B. Gregory.

W. D. LeSueur, secretary of the post office department, Ottawa, arrived last night accompanied by Mrs. LeSueur. They are at the Driard.

ATTENTION is directed to the advertisement appearing this morning announcing a meeting of the Liberal Conservatives for to-morrow evening, when Hon. E. G. Prior and Mr. Thomas Earle will deliver addresses. The meeting will be in the new rooms of the Conservative club, and all friends of the party will be welcome.

"Rambler" bicycles are made of the best materials that human skill and ingenuity have thus far produced. Weiler Bros., agents for B.C. x

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"The Politician,"

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Prices, $1.00, 75c. Gallery, 50c.
Seats now on sale at Jamieson's. m12-4t

Estate of Green, Worlock & Co.

A meeting of the creditors of the above estate will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms (to-day) Tuesday the 12th day of May, 1896, at 1:30 p.m.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
JAS. STUART YATES,
Trustees.
Victoria, 12th May, 1896. my12-1t

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Only one month from 1st of May.

All Fancy Curios and Silk Goods

Many new goods arrived in lately.

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A SOCIAL DANCE will be given by the Scandinavian Society, Valhalla, on Tuesday evening, at 8:30, in Alhambra Hall, Cor. Yates & Government sts; admission, gents 25c; ladies, 10c. my10-2t

J. HEANEY, Truck and Drayman, office 26 Yates street; Telephone 171; Residence 119 Superior street. mr1-1m

MARRIED.

MCNIVEN-BUTLER—In this city, on the 11th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, 18 Kingston street, by Rev Solomon Cleaver, assisted by Rev. Dr. Campbell, J.D McNiven, to Florence, second daughter of Robert Butler, Esq., Foreman Government Printing Office.

DIED.

BOSSI—At her residence, 227 Johnson street, on the 11th inst., Rosa, relict of the late Giacomo Bossi, a native of Baden Baden, aged 69 years.

MARTIN—At Grove Cottage, Esquimalt Road, on the 7th inst., Elizabeth, a native of London, England, aged 69 years, relict of the late Thomas Martin.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, May 12th, at 2:30 p.m., from the residence as above, and at St. Saviour's Church a few minutes later. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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